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Dear Parties of Record,

The Commission is in receipt of Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Verified Answer and Motion to Dismiss in the above-referenced docket. Pursuant to South Carolina Code Regulation 103-829, responses to motions are due within ten (10) days after service of said motions. According to Rule 6(e) of the South Carolina Rules of Civil Procedure, parties served by mail are provided an additional five (5) days in which to respond. Therefore, please note that Complainant's (Ms. Brown's) response commenting on the Motion to Dismiss filed by Duke is due no later than April 12, 2022, which is fifteen (15) days after the date of service, March 28, 2022. Duke's Reply to the comments of Ms. Brown about its Motion to Dismiss must be filed with the Commission within five (5) days of service of the response. These times may be modified by order of the Commission or its designee for good cause.

Included within Duke's Motion to Dismiss was also a request that the Commission hold in abeyance the filing deadlines for all parties and the hearing date pending resolution of its Motion to Dismiss. The Commission filed a response to that request last Friday (see attached), granting the request to stay all present filing deadlines as well as the hearing date. Therefore, the April 1, 2022 direct testimony deadline for Duke and ORS was stayed, and the April 8, 2022 deadline for the Complainant's response was also stayed. Further, the hearing date of June 14, 2022 has been stayed pending the outcome of the Motion to Dismiss.

The Commission will have the opportunity to issue its final ruling on the request after responses have been filed, and provide a new procedural schedule as necessary.

For service purposes, we will also be sending a copy of this email as well as the attached Chief Hearing Officer Directive, to the Complainant (Ms. Brown) by mail. Please do not hesitate to contact us by reply email which includes all parties of record if you have any questions or concerns. A copy of this email shall be filed in the Docket file for this matter as required by Commission policy.

Thank you,
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